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PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No. CNX00-0002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF

James E. Kleckner et al.

Serial No. 09/866,018

Filing Date: 24 May 2001

Title: USINT DIGITAL SIGNATURES TO  
STREAMLINE THE PROCESS OF  
AMENDING FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

In connection with the above-referenced U. S. patent application, transmitted herewith are the following papers:

- ☒ Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 to official action mailed 14 June 2006.
- ☒ A petition for extension of time is also enclosed with a fee of \$1,020.00 for a three-month extension.
- ☐ Terminal disclaimer under 37 C.F. R. § 1.321(c), including
  - ☐ check for \$130.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d), and
  - ☐ 2 certificates under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).
- ☐ Information disclosure statement, form 1449 and \_\_\_ references.
- ☒ No additional claims fees are required.


☐ An additional fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDTL FEE
Total Claims		MINUS = 20	0	x \$50 =	
Independent Claims		MINUS = 3	0	x \$200 =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00					
Total Amendment Fee					
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$0.00</b>

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_ is enclosed.
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